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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of:
Marcos Giovani Dropa de Bortoli et al.

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For: SUCTION VALVE FOR A SMALL
HERMETIC COMPRESSOR

Examiner: D. G. Kasture

SUPPLEMENTAL RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

MS Amendment
Acting Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Madam:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated January 16, 2009, please consider the following remarks and revised Declaration under 37 C.F.R. § 1.132 by co-inventor Marcos Giovani Dropa de Bortoli, enclosed herewith.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 2 of this paper.